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	)	Art Unit: <b>2635</b>
Serial No. 09/585,819	)	
	)	Examiner: Timothy Edwards
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For: A METER TO INTERNET PATHWAY	)	

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

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